Stores to Remain Open Evenings

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Save Your Life By Staying Home

SEHOME RESTS ON SANDS AT PT. M'NEAR A TOTAL LOSS

Resting on the sands at McNear's Point, where she was towed yesterday, the wreck of the Monticello Steamship Company's bay steamer Sehome, which was sunk in collision with the General Frisbie of the same line, Saturday morning is believed by the salvors to be nearly a complete loss.

The vessel was half afloat in San Pablo bay—the scene of the accident—when a Red Stack tug and a derrick barge of the Rice, Smith Company began work yesterday morning. Throughout Sunday the Sehome floated half submerged, a menace to navigation. Today she settled by the stern on the ooze of San Pablo bay owing to the weight of her engines, with her bow still above the water. The work of towing the Sehome to McNear's Point was made somewhat hazardous by the danger that the current might send the salvaging vessels crashing into her. The hull of the Sehome is relatively frail in comparison with ocean-going vessels, according to shipping men.

While the Sehome was being towed to shallow water she turned completely over twice. It is believed that this resulted in wrecking the engines and that little but junk can be salvaged from the wreckage. A further examination is to be made by Captain Louis H. Turner and by L. O. Abrahamson, deep sea diver.

When the vessel turned over five automobiles which had been on the deck and had remained there while the boat was submerged, were thrown into the bay and all hope of salvage of the machines was lost.

LIEUTENANT SOTO IS REPORTED CRITICALLY ILL

Lieutenant Earl Soto, of the aviation corps is reported to be in an Eastern military hospital critically ill from an operation for complications brought on by the influenza. His sister, Mrs. Roy Selby, is anxiously waiting news of his condition.

"RED CROSS SOCKS COVER A MULTITUDE OF SHINS"

HAVE YOU ANSWERED "HERE" TO THE CHRISTMAS ROLL CALL WHEN YOUR NAME WAS READ?

Richmond is just getting into her stride on the Roll Call campaign and from today on dollars will begin to roll in. Constable Alstrom and Mrs. Harry Donnelly were busy at headquarters this morning still giving out supplies to the lieutenants of the Mobilized Women who will begin their canvass in earnest today.

The total amount of cash turned in yesterday was $336.00. Universal membership is the goal of the Roll Call. This means that every man, woman and child in Richmond must enroll this week if Richmond is to answer "here" in the final count. That Macdonald avenue business men are ready and willing to do their share was proven yesterday when Mr. A. C. Faris and Mr. Harry Hayes turned in $221 as the result of their canvass of Macdonald avenue business houses between First and Tenth streets. With two exceptions every firm in this area was visited. Of these two firms not reached one has already called at headquarters to enroll as a hundred per cent establishment, and the other will be heard from later.

Mr. I. Lester and Mr. J. O. Ford have not yet reported on the Macdonald avenue section between Tenth and Twenty-third streets.

The enrollment booth at the Big Store collected $78 as their share of the total amount for yesterday. Let there be no hesitation on the part of any one who is given the opportunity to serve by enrollment as a member in the family of the "Greatest Mother of all." Peace will not end the need of the Red Cross relief work. Every one should answer "here" cheerfully and willingly.

DEAL FOR DAVIS PROPERTY NOT CONSUMMATED

The deal for the J. J. Davis property at Twelfth street and Chanslor avenue was not consummated by city Monday night and may not be for a considerable length of time. It appears that the stumbling block is the spur track built by the Santa Fe railroad and paid for by Mr. Davis, but for which he has no contract with the railroad, other than receipted bills for the work performed.

A lease was read to the council Monday night whereby city is to pay Mr. Davis a certain amount of rental for this property and along with it goes an option for purchase for the sum of $6,300 at some time in the future. Before the papers are signed up Mr. Davis will endeavor to secure a written contract from the Santa Fe relative to the spur track.

WELL KNOWN MATRON IS CALLED BY DEATH

Mrs. Eva Severns, aged 46 years passed away at her home at 2121 Barrett avenue this morning after a short illness. She is survived by her husband, E. C. Severns and a son, Lieutenant Severns of the 9th United States Cavalry, who is on duty with his regiment in the Philippines.

The body is at the Smallwood undertaking parlors, but as yet no arrangements have been made for the funeral.

GREEK TAG DAY TO TAKE PLACE ON THURSDAY

Mrs. H. A. Stiver, chairman of the general committee for the aid of the suffering Greeks who were driven from their homes by the Turks and Bulgarians, has everything in readiness for the Tag Day, which will take place tomorrow. She has a large number of Liberty Girls enlisted for the work and these are to be aided by girls from the high school, augmented by a number of the well known society matrons of the city.

Headquarters for the drive for funds for these unfortunate people will be at the offices of the East Bay Water Company and from this point will radiate the band of willing workers who will invade every part of the city. Just how much money they expect to raise has not been given out, but the sum is a large one and it must be in the hands of the committee by nightfall.

All of the large manufacturing concerns of the city will be taken care of by details of ladies. Committees will visit the Standard Oil plant, Winchaven, the Western Pipe and Steel Works, the porcelain factories, Pullman shops and all the other concerns and they will have along a supply of tags sufficient to decorate everybody.

MRS. RIHN RECOVERING FROM "FLU" ATTACK

Mrs. J. L. Rihn, wife of the well known real estate man who has been suffering with an attack of influenza for the past ten days is on the road to recovery at the family home, on Eighth street.

EX-KAISER'S PUNISHMENT IS DEMANDED BY CONGRESS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Punishment of William Hohenzollern and "every one associated with him in the committing of brutal atrocities in the late war, particularly all concerned in the sinking of the Lusitania, entailing the murder of American citizens, men, women and children," is demanded in a joint resolution introduced in the House today by Representative G. P. Darrow, Republican of Pennsylvania.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18. — Declaring that the widest diversity of opinion exists regarding formation of a league of nations and on the definition of freedom of the seas, Senator Knox of Pennsylvania, formerly secretary of state, in an address to the Senate today urged postponement of these question until after the peace conference.

Just before Senator Knox spoke the Foreign Relations Committee had decided to delay action until Saturday on his resolution which would record the Senate in favor of such postponement, and also call for the withdrawal of American military and naval forces from Europe and abrogation of the President's extraordinary war powers.

Chairman Hitchcock said later that division of opinion in the committee on resolution was not confined to party lines. He would not predict what action finally might be taken.

EAGLES ARE TO PUBLICLY INSTALL

The Eagles are going to entertain the public with an open-lodge installation on the evening of January 7th, when each member of the order may bring along a friend or two, in order to let them see just what the purposes of the great fraternity are.

The following are the officers elected and who will be installed on the date named above: J. I. Collins, worthy president; F. A. Michel, W. V. P.; G. F. Kelly, chaplain; E. Weise, secretary; H. D. Mason, treasurer; W. M. Christian, trustee, and Dr. C. R. Blake physician.

HIGHWAY BONDS ARE SOLD BY CITY

The city auditor Monday night was authorized by council to sell $30,000 worth of the highway bonds held by the city, but the selling price was not stated. Probably they will be disposed of at the market quotations which are understood to be considerable above par at this time.

It does not appear what purpose the council will apply the money which will be received from the sale of these securities, but doubtless in payment for some of the harbor or municipal work.

HEALTH OFFICER C. R. BLAKE ISSUES WARNING FOR RICHMOND PEOPLE TO BEWARE OF EPIDEMIC

PUBLIC HEALTH NOTICE NO. 10

On account of the return of the dreaded Influenza in a great number of cities of this and many other States, and especially around the Bay Region of San Francisco, and as Richmond seems at this time to be almost free of the disease, the Health Commissioner of this City desires to ask all of its citizens to stay at home as much as possible during the next few weeks in Richmond, without visiting our sister cities where the epidemic seems to be flaring up again.

If it does visit us again, the probabilities are that the second epidemic will be worse than the one we recently passed through, so we ask all citizens to kindly take notice.

STAY AT HOME AND AVOID THE "FLU."

(Signed) CHAS. R. BLAKE,
Commissioner of Health, City of Richmond.
Richmond, Cal., Dec. 18, 1918.

HUN'S LONG RANGE GUN DESTROYS MANY

PARIS, Dec. 18. — Germany's "Big Bertha" the long range gun that was used to bombard Paris, killed 196 person and wounded 417 in the last ten months of the war, according to statistics made public today by the Figaro. In the same time German aviators who bombarded Paris killed 206 persons and wounded 392.

The statistics show that in 1914 forty-five bombs were dropped in Paris, seventy in 1915, sixty-one in 1916, fourteen in 1917, and 396 in 1918.

ENJOYABLE SOCIAL HELD

The Good Time Social held by the Christian Endeavors of the First Christian church last night was a delightful affair and everybody present enjoyed themselves thoroughly. There was an entertaining program and refreshments.

SOUTH RICHMOND CLUB IS PLANNING DANCE-BAZAAR

Everything is in readiness for the bazaar and dance, which will be given in Moose Hall, Saturday afternoon and evening by the South Richmond Improvement Club. The ladies have arranged for a delightful evening and they are going to have on display in their bazaar many good and useful articles that will be just the thing for Christmas remembrances. Saturday afternoon they are going to make specialty of cooked foods, suitable for taking home for the Sunday dinner. Committees having the arrangements in hand are:

Candy Booth—Mrs. R. H. Higgins, Mrs. J. H. Misner.

Fancy Work—Mrs. L. Farren, Mrs. L. Boswell.

Flower Booth—Mrs. Geo. Edwards, assisted by the Misses Evelyn Renwick, Velma Higgins, Charlotte Hoover, Margaret Carey, Margaret Brown.

Jack Crowe's famous orchestra will furnish the music for the dancers.

STORES ARE TO BE OPEN EVENINGS FROM TOMORROW UNTIL CHRISTMAS FOR THE BENEFIT OF CUSTOMERS

From and after Thursday evening until Christmas, the streets of Richmond will be one scene of gayety, and the spirit of the Yuletide Season will be present everywhere.

In order to accommodate the many shoppers who are unable to get out and do their shopping, the merchants of Richmond have decided to keep their stores open every evening until Christmas.

On account of the increase of influenza in Oakland and San Francisco, and the danger that exists from going to these cities, the merchants of this city have decided that every opportunity should be given the people here, to do their shopping. Extra clerks will be on hand at all of the stores, and the crowds that are expected to be out evenings will be well taken care of.

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HEALTH COMMISSIONER BLAKE ADMONISHES PEOPLE TO REMAIN AT HOME DURING NEXT FEW WEEKS

Health Commissioner Charles R. Blake of this city, who is considered an authority on combatting the influenza epidemic by practically all the health bodies of the state, is advising the people of Richmond to remain at home during the next few weeks in order to conserve the health of this community. Dr. Blake advised the people of Richmond to wear masks at the outbreak of the epidemic in October and saw that his advice was heeded, by bringing the law to his aid, with the result Richmond's death rate was the lowest of any city according to population and cases of the epidemic reported of any city in the entire state.

Dr. Blake points out that San Francisco, Oakland, Alameda and practically all of the neighboring towns are in a bad condition from a recurrence of the influenza epidemic and that Richmond alone is practically free from its ravages. He advises the people to remain within the confines of this city as far as possible until health conditions are better in the neighboring towns. He tells them to avoid crowds, refrain from riding in street cars as much as possible and to co-operate in every way possible to prevent a recurrence of the epidemic here.

Dr. Blake points out that there is really but little need for the people here to incur the risk of contracting the disease by going elsewhere to shop for holiday goods. The local merchants have secured large stocks of goods to accommodate the home people and there is no necessity of risking their own health and the health of the entire city by going elsewhere and mixing up in large crowds to do their Christmas buying. Indeed, it is imperative that they remain at home until the scourge subsides in the other towns about the bay.

Dr. Blake believes there is but little danger in Richmond from a recurrence of the disease if the people here will heed his advise and he admonishes them that their health at this time is their most precious possession.

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PUBLIC CHRISTMAS TREE PROJECT IS ABANDONED

The project of holding a public Christmas tree in Martinez has been abandoned by the city authorities on account of the malignant nature of the influenza epidemic in the county seat town. Yesterday there were four deaths from the disease in Martinez and a large number of people are reported to be critically ill.

NEW RED CROSS OFFICE IS PLANNED BY OFFICERS

Red Cross chapter officials in this city are planning to open up permanent offices in this city to house the growing affairs of this really important institution. They are looking around for suitable location and a young lady of temperamental and business adaptibility to conduct it. The idea seems to be to conserve energy and promote efficiency of the entire organization. It is expected that definite arrangements will be perfected in a few days.

AUTY DUGGAN HAS FINE NEW HOME IN GRAND VIEW

Auty Duggan, the well known real estate man, has one of the finest homes in the city nearing completion in Grand View Terrace. When he moves out there he and Jack Best will be neighbors. This particular spot in Richmond is one of the beauty places of the city and these men are exceedingly fortunate to secure homes there. Mr. Duggan expects to be in his new home before Christmas.

TEAMSTERS WILL BANQUET

Members of the local Teamsters' Union will hold their regular weekly meeting at the Labor Temple next Friday evening. After the business is disposed of the boys are going to enjoy a banquet.

DENTON VANE IS NEW STAR AT RICHMOND

Denton Vane, popular Vitagraph player, and seen at his best in the role of the profligate society youth who is reclaimed by love of a worthy woman, again is effectively cast in "The Golden Goal," the Vitagraph Blue Ribbon Feature, that will be the attraction at the Richmond Theatre tonight. Mr. Vane is a native of New York and was several years in vaudeville with the Maude Odell Stock Company throughout the West in musical comedy, and also in support of Ethel Barrymore and Blanche Bates. His first screen engagements were with the Selig and the Kalem companies, he coming to Vitagraph four years ago. In the "Golden Goal," a powerful drama of love and intrigue, the stellar roles are taken by Harry Morey and Florence Deshon, and in the supporting cast are Jean Paige and Arthur Donaldson.

CHARLEY BROWN IS ACQUITTED OF CHARGE

Judge Odell acquitted Charley Brown the plastering contractor of the battery charge against him, referred by A. W. Joselyn, builder. The latter claimed Brown struck at him and that he fell and while he was on the ground his assailant kicked him.

Persons who witnessed the incident declare that Brown did not touch Joselyn at all. The hearing took place yesterday in the police court.

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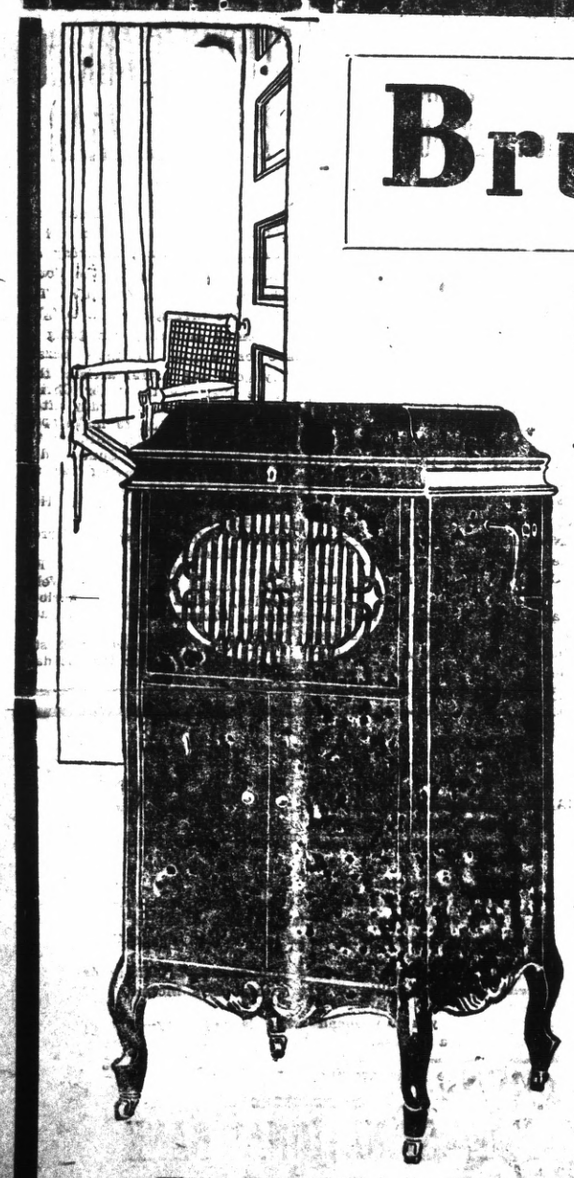

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CARGO OF SUPPLIES GOES TO ARCHANGEL

Red Cross Sends Relief Ships for Allied Soldiers and Civilians in Starving Russia.

A relief ship was recently sent from this country to Archangel by the American Red Cross with 4,600 tons of drugs, food, soap and other supplies for the use of the Allied soldiers and needy civilians in that part of Russia. The vessel's cargo was valued at $1,511,283.

Later, another ship was dispatched carrying 200 tons of similar supplies furnished by the American Red Cross, the total expenditure for the two shipments amounting to over $2,000,000.

Major C. T. Williams of Baltimore was in charge of the party of thirteen which accompanied the shipment from this country. He was formerly a member of the Red Cross Commission for Roumania. Major Kirkpatrick, at one time a member of the latter commission, but recently attached to the Army Medical Corps, heads the medical end of the Archangel expendition. Drugs and general hospital supplies constituted the greater part of the cargo sent from America.

While the chief concern of the expedition was providing comforts for American and Allied fighting men in that part of the world, all efforts were bent to get relief to the Russian soldiers who were returned from German prison camps at the rate of about 15,000 a week. The condition of these men was pitiable. It has been estimated that 90 per cent. of them were tubercular.

In addition to drugs and food, almost every imaginable article on the list of supplies sent over was for the comfort, convenience and pleasure of the Allied soldiers. Just a few of these articles were playing cards, razor blades, jewsharps, mandolins, accordeons, ukaleles, phonographs, cameras, skates, wigs, whiskers, grease paints, footballs, snowshoes, slippers, hockey outfits, indoor baseballs, moving picture outfits, Bibles, prayer books, boxing gloves, games, music, books, cigarettes, candy and dried fruits.

The need of prompt relief for the inhabitants of towns along the coast of the White Sea and on the Kola peninsula, many of whom were facing starvation, was found to be imperative. Scurvy had broken out among the people at these places, adding to the general distress.

The towns to which the relief expendition was sent are virtually isolated from the outside world because of the treacherous coast line, shifting sand bars and uncharted waters. An exceptionally early frost, even for that part of the world, ruined the harvests, which were expected to improve conditions. Statements, printed in Russian, explaining the work of the Red Cross, were distributed among the inhabitants.

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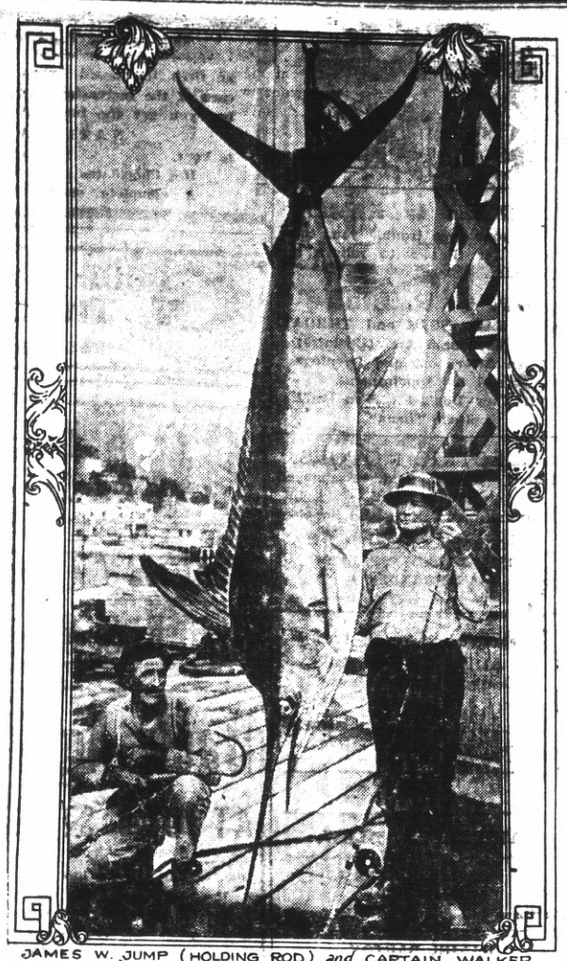

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TRIBUTES FROM SECRETARY BAKER

Following a tour of South England, Secretary of War Baker made this comment on the work done by the American Red Cross for our boys:

"These are the things which count. The American Red Cross is to be congratulated on the way in which it is looking after our boys. It is doing fine work."

Following his return from France, Secretary Baker wrote this note to the American Red Cross in London:

"I left London so shortly after my drive to Winchester that I had no early opportunity to thank you for the courtesy of the touring car which you placed at my disposal for the trip. On this trip to Europe I have received fresh and noteworthy evidence of the astonishing efficiency of the American Red Cross operations in France and England. I have been delighted to see how much the American Red Cross has done to weld hearts of the allied people together."

Replacing the Orchards.

The American Red Cross has given $10,000 to assist in the replanting of trees in the orchards laid bare by the Germans. With this sum 40,000 fruit trees will be replaced in the devastated orchards of Belgium and northern France.

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Leave Richmond .....8:30 a. m.
Arrive Pinole .....8:55 a. m.
Reach Dodeo .....9:20 a. m.

Returning

Leave Rodeo.....9:40 a. m.
Arrive Pinole .....10:00 a. m.
Reach Richmond ....10:25. a. m.

AFTERNOON

Leave Richmond .....12:50 p. m.
Arrive Pinole .....1:15 p. m.
Reach Rodeo .....1:35 p. m.

Returning

Leave Rodeo .....1:40 p. m.
Arrive Pinole .....2:00 p. m.
Reach Richmond .....2:25 p. m.

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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

State and County Taxes For the Fiscal Year 1917-1918

Office of the Collector of State and County Taxes, Martinez.

Notice is hereby given that I have received from the Auditor of Contra Costa County the duplicate assessment book for the fiscal year 1917-1918, and

That the taxes on all personal property secured by real property and one half of the taxes on all real property is now due and payable on the

Third Monday in October

and delinquent on the first Monday in December next thereafter at 6 o'clock p. m. and that unless paid prior thereto fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and if said one half is not paid before the

Last Monday in April Next

at six o'clock p. m. an additional five per cent will be added thereto That the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the

First Monday in January Next

and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in April

next thereafter at 6 o'clock p. m. and unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

That all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided is due and payable

Taxes are due and payable at the office of the Tax Collector in the court house at Martinez, Contra Costa County.

MARTIN W JOOST.
Tax Collector Contra Costa County.
—tf.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF RICHMOND, CALIFORNIA
Annual Meeting

THE REGULAR ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF RICHMOND, CALIFORNIA, will be held at its banking rooms, Richmond, California, on Tuesday, the 14th day of January, 1919, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors to serve for the ensuing year, for the approval of all gifts made in the name of the bank by the officers or directors, and for the consideration and transaction of any other business that may be brought before the meeting.

L. A. STEVENSON,
Cashier.
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"I can hardly find words to express the gratitude I really feel over my wonderful increase in weight, health and strength," said Mrs. W. B. Scott, who resides at 911 Normandie street, Spokane, Wash., recently in one of the most remarkable statements yet published in connection with Tanlac.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Matter of the Estate of T. H. Moore, also known as Thomas H. Moore, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Administratrix of the estate of T. H. Moore, also known as Thomas H. Moore, deceased, to the creditors of, and to all persons having claims against said decedent to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the Superior Court of Contra Costa County, State of California, or to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, to the said Administratrix at the law office of H. V. Alvarado, Esq., attorney at law, Mechanics Bank Building, corner Eighth and Macdonald Avenue, Richmond, Cal., the same being designated as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate, within four months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated December 9, 1918.

MATTIE J. MOORE,
Administratrix of the Estate of T. H. Moore, also known as Thomas H. Moore, Deceased.
H. V. ALVARADO,
Attorney at law, Mechanics Bank Building, Richmond, Cal., attorney for Administratrix.
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NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL

In the Superior Court of the County of Contra Costa, State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate of Anton Maricich, also known as Tony Maricich, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that Monday, the 23rd day of December, A. D., 1918 at 10 o'clock a. m., of said day, and the Court Room of said Superior Court, at the Court House in the town of Martinez, County of Contra Costa, have been appointed as the time and place for proving will of said Anton Maricich, also known as Tony Maricich, deceased and for hearing the application of John Sindicich for the issuance to him of letters of administration with the will annexed.

Dated, Martinez, December 4, 1918.

J. H. WELLS, Clerk.
By F. J. BARNARD,
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APPLIED BUSINESS METHODS

WESTERN states need the wholesome effect of injecting business methods into their public administration.

Here is a little object lesson showing what can be accomplished by merely applying private methods in public affairs.

In the fall of 1914 the State of Connecticut had a net indebtedness drawing interest amounting to $10,860,000.

Mark Holcomb, a hard-headed lawyer, who could not have been elected in some states, was made governor.

He put over a business system that brought all departments under a State Board of Finance, and he kept his thumb on that board.

The joint committee of the legislature on appropriations, held its sessions with the State Finance Board and the governor had the veto.

Net result: In three years the debt has disappeared, except some bonds not yet due, but there is a sinking fund on hand to meet them.

How was it done? Just plain common sense business management that any city, state or the nation can get by insisting on it.

Bringing the matter right to our very doors, how much better Richmond would be off if we had a business administration of the city and how much better off the people of the county would be if strictly business methods, instead of political were brought to bear in all our affairs. Not that men holding official positions in the city and county do not want to do the right thing, but for the reason they are the unwitting victims of a condition which has existed here and elsewhere since time immemorial.

Of course the people themselves are to blame for conditions We in this country and by that we mean the United States, pay the highest price for our government and get the least for our money. We run everything on the bonanza plan of spending our money like drunken sailors, to use an old time expression. War has taught us economy as individuals, but collectively we have yet much to learn.

HELPING THE CHILDREN

Every state in the union, except two, has now a more or less complete organization for carrying out the Children's Year program of the Children's Bureau, United States Department of Labor, according to Dr. Jessie B. Peixotto, formerly of the University of California, but who is now chief of the Child's Conservation Section, Field Division, Council of National Defense, which is working in cooperation with the bureau in this work.

Fifty per cent of the states have established effective state county and unit committees, all working to do their best for the children. And six states—Illinois, Connecticut, Rhode Island, California, Utah and Iowa — have succeeded in gaining financial support for the welfare work, and in consequence have been able to concentrate on the "follow up" work outlined for the campaign.

"This follow-up work," said Dr. Peixotto recently, "is the most important. It is the real test of the enduring worth of he whole movement. The establishment of agencies to correct the physical defects brought to light through our nation-wide weighing and measuring tests of last spring is now well under way in many of the states, and we have been gratified at the reports received of the intense interest aroused all over the country. Fathers, mothers, physicians, nurses and health officers — all seemed determined that this work of conserving the life of children begun as a war measure, shall be continued as a permanent health policy of this country, as it will be, of course, of all the European countries."

It has been announced that eight states have arranged for the permanent state records of the physical condition of their children of pre-school age. Six states have taken the important step of creating a division of Child Hygiene in their State Board of Health, and the promise of the immediate establishment of such bureaus has come from several other states, counties and cities. Daily reports are being received of new health centers, dental clinics, milk stations and ice fund.

DISMISS THE COMMISSION

California citizens have just witnessed the expenditure of thousands of dollars of tax money by the commission appointed to investigate so-called health insurance at expense of the state says the Industrial News Bureau.

We suppose this commission made an investigation of this latest fad if there was any place to investigate it outside of Germany.

In addition to investigating, the commission left no stone unturned to force the people to pass the health insurance measure put on ballot at last election.

This was one of the boldest attempts ever made to use the taxpayers' money to pass class legislation and saddle onto the state thousands of new officials and an ever increasing drain on industry and the public treasury.

The nerve of carrying on this propaganda work in the name of the state and at state expense to load the state down with additional burdens is just soaking it on the public.

This commission is still in existance and will undoubtedly ask coming legislature for more money than ever before to force this same proposition onto the people again in spite of the fact they voted it down last month by an overwhelming majority.

The time is here to call a halt When the general public shows emphatically as it has done that it doesn't want a certain measure, professional politicians should not be allowed to rob the taxpayers to keep up the farce of the state standing sponsor for and financing personal political schemes.

Abolish the commission.

It is said the day is not far distant when anybody who can raise the price will be able to ride in an airplane. Why bless your soul, the day is right here now, but what is lacking is the inclination. It takes a man with mighty strong will power to successfully ride in an airplane, and he must have some knowledge of the critter and a good, strong heart to stand the altitude.

None of the neutral European nations are anxious to harbor any of the deposed emperors and kings of the Central Allies. The late kaiser of the late German empire thrust himself on the government of Holland, without so much as asking leave, but when Charles, former king of Austria-Hungary requested leave to reside in Switzerland, he was politely, but firmly refused a refuge. About the only kings who are tolerated at all in the old world are King George of England and King Albert, of Belgium. Both of these have proven themselves to be real men and devoted to the welfare of their people. So far as can be determined at this time they alone will continue to hold their jobs after the general cleanup.

The Christian Science Monitor, which by the way is one of the best edited papers in the United States, is authority for the statement that several hundred newspapermen departed for Europe on board the steamship Orizaba ahead of the George Washington, the ship that bore President Wilson to the other side of the Atlantic. The Monitor naively adds that although the Orizaba has a complete wireless outfit, it was practically useless, owing to the profession of its passengers. Able newspaper correspondents do not tell one another anything worth wirelessing.

Platinum has, it is reported, been discovered in Alaska, but the account of the discovery is not definite enough to warrant a rush to the territory. Moreover, the jewelers are saying that there has been a great deal of exaggeration about the demand for and the value of platinum. Of course it is valuable, but it can be purchased with money made in ordinary callings at the southern end of a great white trail.

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It is gratifying, of course that Richmond's municipal wharf is actually to become of a utilitarian purpose, instead of providing a good spot for crab fishers to ply their calling but it must not be understood by the people of the world that Richmond has not hitherto been a deep sea port, nor that ocean ships have not been docking here for many years. Indeed, Richmond has the only natural deep water anywhere around the bay of San Francisco. At Point San Pablo the largest ocean-going vessels have been docking for many years, taking on and discharging cargo. The same is true of Point Orient docks and the Long Wharf of the Standard Oil Company. The Municipal Wharf is simply an added plant established by the people of Richmond to increase our commenrce. Casually scanning the local press one would be led to believe that Richmond has been a high and dry interior city all these years and that suddenly the Municipal Wharf has given us access to the ocean.

It is to be hoped that the citizens of Richmond will be rewarded for the great outlay of wealth as they certainly will be, in constructing the Municipal Wharf. There is considerably over a million dollars in the project and it must bring something to the city, other than advertising, to keep it from being a burden on the taxpayers. The success or failure of the project depends entirely on its business management. It is just like any other large establishment of a commercial nature, requiring constant and intelligent direction by men trained to this particular line of work.

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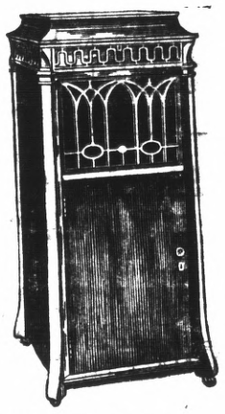
The NEW EDISON
"The Phonograph with a Soul"
It is a deep and genuine source of happiness—means endless hours of satisfying pleasure.
As a family gift, too, this wonderful instrument is unsurpassed. Stop to figure how much is spent right in your own family in the giving of small presents to one another. Then think of how much more real pleasure would accrue from the possession of a new Edison. Would it not be wiser to follow the example set by so many families nowadays; pool your funds and own a New Edison, the phonograph with a soul.

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SPENT OVER $3500 WITH DOCTORS and got no relief, So declared Mr. R. Lewis, proprietor of the large jewelry store at Eleventh and Washington Sts., in the center of Oakland. After drinking the Fong Wan Herb Tea he was completely cured.

His Unsolicited Testimonial.
For several years I was troubled with Nervous Attacks. I visited the most prominent physicians in both OAKLAND and SAN FRANCISCO without obtaining permanent results. Finally, when an OPERATION ON MY SPINE had been suggested, I quit and began drinking the FONG WAN CHINESE HERBS. After seven weeks I felt entirely well. This was in September, 1916, and up to the present time, there has been no recurrence of the attacks.
R. LEWIS, Residence, 611 43d St., Oakland, Cal.
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The Most Reliable
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By far the most popular metal pencil ever made—Stocked in composition metal—Sterling Silver and Gold Plate.
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We stock them from $1 up. WATERMAN PENS START AT $2.50 TO $7.50
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A large selection of various tints and new shapes in Envelopes—Beautifully arranged in handsome boxes —
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Jonteel Toilet Sets
Consists of Talc Face Powder and Jonteel odors.
Odor Jonteel Concentrate $3.00
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Djer-Kiss Toilet Sets
$3.50 SET—Toilet Water, Face Powder and Talcum.
$7.50 SET—Toilet Water, Face Powder, Talcum, Perfume, Toilet Soap and Sachet.

To expect to pay a high price for talc perfumed with an odor that cost thousands of dollars to produce would be natural. But to be able to obtain such a superb perfume at a low price is a delightful surprise. This surprise awaits you in the Talc perfumed with Jonteel—the New Odor of Twenty-six Flowers.
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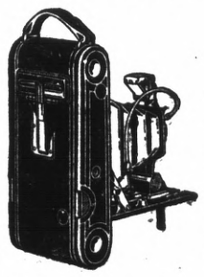
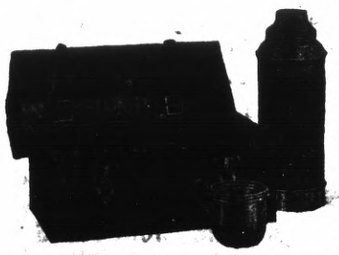

A Gift that never fails to give pleasure throughout the year.
No. O Brownie $2.00
No. 2 Brownie $2.75
No. 2C Brownie $4.50
Vest Pocket Kodaks ..... $7.50—$9
No. 2 Kodak Junior $11.50
No. 2A Kodak Junior $13.50
Thermos Outfits
A useful gift for all occasions. Many different styles and at a range of prices that will satisfy.

Many Different Odors
We also have a large assortment of Floraymé, Djer-Kiss, Azurea, Ideal, Godet, Mary Garden, odors in original bottles.
Don't forget to take the children to the Marionette shows at the Lincoln School each afternoon. All are welcome.
LaMoine Drug Co.
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Christmas
Candies
New lines of Fresh, Pure Candies are received daily
A most acceptable gift for young or old
Put Up in Fancy Boxes
All Sizes All Kinds
Whipping Cream
You'll not only enjoy your Christmas dinner better—but every other dinner—with some dish on which is used rich, fluffy whipped cream.
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We serve the famous Garibaldi Hot Tamales
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RED CROWN GASOLINE

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$2350 buys a strictly modern 4-room cottage; $500 down; balance $25.00 per month.
We have several 4- and 5-room modern cottages, on 17th, 18th, 20th and 21st streets; from $1850 to $2,000; $300 down; balance $25.00 per month.
$3500 buys 2 lots, 6-room house, partly furnished, 112 ft. from Macdonald Ave. $500 down balance like rent.
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We have for sale 3 acres of choice level land with 8-room house, windmill, good well, fences and other improvements; about 2½ miles from center of Richmond.
All kinds of Legal Papers made and Notary Work.
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TOYS At TOYS

2nd Floor

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"YOUR MONEY'S WORTH OR YOUR MONEY BACK"

The Big Store

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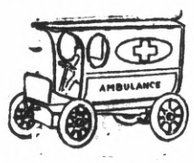
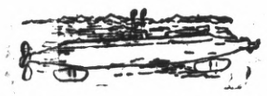


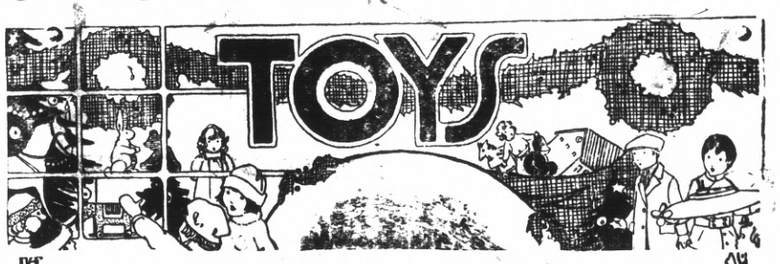
TOYS

At Special Prices

Black Boards	15c to $3.25
Velocepedes	$2.98 to $16
Doll Buggies	79c to $7.50
Dolls, all Kinds	19c to $15
Toy Watches	5c to 15c
Electric Toys	$1.95 to $6.50
China Dishes	65c to $3.00
Teddy Bears	75c to $2.25
Game Boards	79c to $3.00
Various Games	5c to $3.00
Rubber Balls	5c to $1.00
Chessmen Sets	$1.75 to $2.25
Toy Neckklaces	5c and 10c
Toy Animals	10c to $3.00



Spelling Boards	65c to $1.25
Checker Sets	10c to $1.00
Dominoe Sets	20c to $1.50
Spinning Tops	10c to 50c
Nested Blocks	25c to $1.00
Sewing Boxes	$1.25 to $4.00
Toy Trunks	30c to $3.00
Sam E Kars, regular price $5.00; sale price	$3.98
Wheelbarrows of red iron, regular 75c; sale price	49c
Wooden Wagons, to pull, regular 65c; special	39c
Large Grey Swinging Horse, regular $7.50, special	$5.95
Hand Cars, regular prices $6 to $9.50; special sale price	$4.95 to $7.95



After Supper Sale OF TOYS ONLY

THURSDAY, 7 P. M.

Your Choice **19c**

Unbreakable Dolls, Rag Dolls, Iron Toys, Wooden Rocking Horses, Tin Wagons, Iron Banks, Sail Boats, Iron Trains, Tin Horns, Reins, Games, Checkers, Chess Boards, Rattles, Painting Sets, Noah's Arks, Builderetes

Come Early

AND GET YOUR CHOICE

TOYS

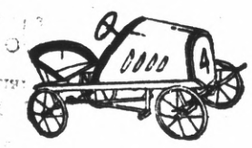
At Special Prices

Shoo-Fliers	$2.25 to $4.50
Kitchen Sets	5c to 20c
Wash Boards	10c to 25c
Celluloid Dolls	15c to $2.25
Toy Drums	50c to $2.25
Friction Toys	85c to $2.00
Sad Irons	15c to 40c
Aluminum Dishes 45c to	$2.25

TOYS

At Special Prices

Sand Toys	65c to $1.50
Toy Books	5c to 50c
Boy Scout Books	20c each
Story Books	20c to 50c
Mechanical Trains $1.25 to	$5.00
Knitting Sets	35c to 98c
Toy Stoves	25c to $8.50
Toy Engines	80c to $4.50



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At Special Prices

Kiddie Kars, regular prices $1.25 to $3.50; special sale prices ..... 98c to $2.98

Iron Clad Coaster Wagons, regular $1.50 to $4; special sale price ..... 98c to $2.98

Automobiles, regular prices $7.50 and $8; special sale prices ..... $5.95 and $6.45

Auto engine, large size, regular $19; special $14.50

Velocepedes, regular prices $4.50 to $6; special sale prices ..... $2.95 to $4.95

Doll Buggies, regular price 98c; special 79c

Combination Game Boards, regular $1; special 79c

Paper Dolls, in boxes, regular 10c; special 5c

Iron Trains, regular prices 45c to $1.10; special sale prices ..... 35c to 89c

Metal-Ophones, regular prices 10c to 80c; special sale prices ..... 5c to 69c

Tool Chests, regular prices $1.25 to $2.50; special sale prices ..... 98c to $1.98

Toy Pianos, regular prices $1.75 to $2.00; special sale prices ..... $1.45 to $1.79

Checkers in boxes, regular prices 10c to 30c; special sale prices ..... 8c to 24c

Checker Boards, regular 49c; special ... 39c

Lead Soldiers, regular $1; special 59c

Christmas Tree Ornaments

Glass Balls	5c and up
Red Bells	3 for 5c and up
Christmas Trees	15c to $1.00

Candles, Colored Streamers, Christmas Stockings and Ornaments.

Christmas Boxes, from ... 5c to 25c